

Guard Unit Scores Inspection 'Victory'

Top Newspaperboy



CARRIER CITED . . . Jeff Kennison, son of Mr. and Mrs. Donald Kennison, 1610 Crenshaw Blvd., is shown with his first prize award as Press-Herald "Carrier of the Month" for January. "Jeff conducts his route activities in the finest tradition of the American Newspaperboy," according to Circulation Manager Darrell Westcott, who made the selection and the award. Westcott said Jeff's growing list of subscribers is a direct result of the careful attention he gives to his newspaper route enterprise. "My Press-Herald route gives me the opportunity to learn how to deal with people, keep business records and how to save money," Jeff said. Jeff is a coin collector and plays trombone in the school band.

Writing Contest Slated

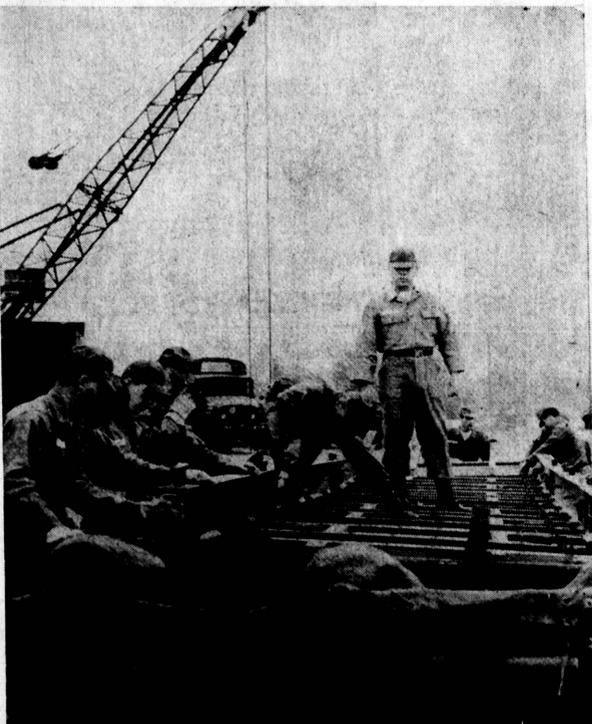
Contest rules for a city-wide writing contest, sponsored by the Park and Playground Division of the Torrance Recreation Department, were announced today. The contest will be open to boys and girls in the third through eighth grades. Winners will be selected in three divisions: third and fourth grades; fifth and sixth grades; and seventh and eighth grades.

Entries, which should be postmarked no later than March 25, will be judged on the basis of content, originality, and expression. Original poems and stories may be submitted by mailing them to Writing Contest, Torrance Recreation Department, 3031 Torrance Blvd.

Official entry blanks may be obtained at El Nido, El Retiro, Entradero, Guenser, La Romeria, McMaster, Paradise, Torrance, Victor, and Walteria parks. The entry blanks also are available at Arnold, Hickory, Jefferson, Lincoln, Madrona, Newton, Parkway, Perry, Riviera, Seaside, Sepulveda, Torrance, and Howard Wood school playgrounds.

Stories should be limited to six typewritten, double-spaced pages and poems should not exceed 20 lines.

The author's name, address, telephone number, age, and grade must be on a card attached to the entry.



INSPECTION DAY . . . Members of Torrance's Company E, 132nd Engineer Battalion, display equipment for a team of 6th Army inspectors in the annual event held last Saturday. The rugged Army check is a high-point of preparations for regular duty or for the annual summer encampment and gives a measure of the readiness of the unit for military service.

E Company Gets Once-Over from 6th Army Team

The California National Guard has scored another "victory" in its continuous drive to protect Mr. Average American.

Members of Torrance's E Company, 132nd Engineer Battalion, California National Guard, went through their annual general inspection Saturday by a team of inspectors from the 6th Army in San Francisco.

Included in the four-hour inspection was a drill in riot control, with the Guardsmen showing the manner in which the August riots in the Watts area were put down.

The controlled drill was just an experiment, of course, but the men, all a part of the 40th Armored Division, treated it just like the real thing. "Rioters" were company recruits and there were nearly two dozen of them. Ten patrol members, led by squad leader Sgt. James Faust of Torrance, went through a snappy drill in which they broke through the rioters, pushed them back and finally separated the unruly crowd.

E Company was one of six units of the 132nd to undergo the annual general inspection. Other units are Headquarters and A, Manhattan Beach; B, Lynwood; C, Ontario; and D, Burbank.

COMPANY commander Capt. Earl Hurley of Gardena was naturally pleased with his men's overall performance. Others observing were 1/Sgt. William Kerwin of Wilmington and Battalion Commander Lt. Col. William L. Geisert of 439 Calle De Castellana, Torrance.

Earlier, the men went through a formal in-ranks inspection to determine the unit's rating in the Department of the Army listings. Well-trained Army experts are sent to a company to inspect records, weapons, equipment and physical experiences.

During a formal inspection of men, the Army representative closely checks each weapon, asks for one of several special orders and makes sure the Guardsman's uniform is according to high-level standards.

FOLLOWING the in-ranks inspection, the company is dismissed to special sections where they prepare for exercises. These exercises are graded by the inspecting officer and watched over carefully by battalion and company officers.

Sergeant Faust said he was happy with his squad's drill. After going through the riot control procedure, the squad participated in an impressive display of in-ranks marching and other exercises.

Also on the inspecting agenda was the building of a pontoon foot bridge, used to transport personnel across impassable waterways.

The general inspection is the first big project for the National Guardsmen each year. Later this month, they will undergo an alert, a simulated crisis to see how quickly the men can be called to their respective companies.

In April, all Guardsmen will go to the rifle range for their annual qualification firing.

E Company's armory is at 2505 Cabrillo in Torrance.

North, South Lead College Enrollment

Graduates of the 14 high schools in the El Camino Junior College district are enrolling at the college in record numbers, an enrollment survey just completed shows. More than 43 per cent of the 1965 graduates in the college district enrolled at El Camino. And Torrance high schools won the honors in both the numbers and the percentage races.

1965 now meets on the ECC campus. Numerically, South High leads the parade. A total of 268 students from the class of 614 enrolled at El Camino. Among local parochial schools, Bishop Montgomery sent 37 per cent of its 1965 graduates to the community college. Serra High School in Gardena sent 42 per cent of the Class of 1965 to El Camino, while 14 per cent of the Lutheran High grads enrolled on the local campus.

High are listed as "average" in the percentage column—with 43 per cent. North sent 229 of the total graduating class of 477 students to El Camino. Lennox High sent 86 graduates, or 47 per cent of its June graduates. West High sent the smallest number of graduates to El Camino, but even so, the total number of former Warriors now at El Camino is more than a third of the Class of 1965.

NORTH HIGH leads the district's schools in the percentage of graduates enrolled at El Camino. A record 48 per cent of the Saxon Class of

HAWTHORNE is second in the numbers race, listing 230 of the 1965 graduating class as enrolled at El Camino. Both Hawthorne and South

OF THE 14 high schools in the El Camino district, 11 sent more than 40 per cent of their 1965 graduates to the college. The 40 per cent group includes — in addition to North, South, Hawthorne, and Lennox — Leuzinger, Mira Costa, Inglewood, Morning-side, Aviation, Redondo, and Torrance.

Psychology Class Set

Teachers and practitioners in psychology and medicine in Torrance will be offered the opportunity to enroll in a course in Physiological Psychology during the spring semester.

It is the last in a cycle of four classes and will run for 15 weeks, beginning tomorrow. Registration and payment of fees may be completed tomorrow at the first class meeting. Reservations may be made by calling the University of Southern California's Community Service Division, 746-2410.

Gardena High School, part of the Los Angeles City School System, sent 22 per cent of its 1965 class to El Camino under a contract between the junior college district and the Los Angeles City Schools.

COUNT MARCO

She Learned Her Lesson Too Late

Many of you women complain either that I write with tongue in cheek or that you can read between the lines things I never intended.

If you're going to read anything I write (and you will, no matter how much you say you won't), read the words I write as they are written and you won't make any mistakes. I write only truths.

Here's a letter from a woman who needed quite a bit of shaking up to realize that all the time I was on her side, not against her.

"Dear Count Marco: You once wrote a column with a check-list for a wife to use if she wanted to see how good a wife she was. I never knew that my husband had saved it and had done the checking for me.

"When he left me he also left the check-list. He has since sent me many of your

columns to 'educate' me. However, it was not an amicable divorce. It hurt.

"For almost two years now I have read your column every day. I found, much to my chagrin that not only was he right all the way down his list, but so are you. I also discovered that each time I had to admit he was right I gained more respect for him.

"Unfortunately, I don't want a new man to be sweet to. I want my man back. The only hope I have is that if he cared enough to tell me the truth about what I had become, maybe I still have a chance.

"Don't give up hope, teacher. We may be stupid, but we can be educated.

"My thanks.

"—HOPEFUL STUDENT."

no matter how much they try to enlighten you, will make the effort to renew old ties. There are too many eager women waiting to show them the path to marital happiness.

My advice to you is to learn your lesson NOW, before it's too late. If you have the slightest doubt about any column of mine, should you feel the need to reread any one of them twice over, then whatever I'm telling you to do right, you're doing wrong.

I have nothing to gain by bringing faults to your attention other than the happiness I may bring you by correcting those faults. I am your friend. Don't you usually run to your best friend when you need advice?

Your husband is your first and best friend. Talk to him first. When that doesn't work, let me know. I'll tell you why he won't talk to you. At least it's a start.

Your Second Front Page

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Ann Landers Says

'Only a Housewife' No Longer Ashamed



Dear Ann Landers: All my married life I've felt like a nobody because I was "only a housewife." My husband made me feel that I should be grateful to him for putting food in my mouth and clothes on my back.

Today I read something that gave me a lift. If you print it I'll bet you'll give thousands of housewives a new lease on life.

The home economics department of our state college published a leaflet in chart form. It shows what a week's worth is worth per housewife in dollars and cents on today's labor market. Here it is:

Cooking, table-setting, serving, at \$2 an hour \$50. Dishwashing, at \$1.25 an hour, \$17.50.

Child care at 50 cents an hour (ridiculous since this is

what most sitters get for just sitting), \$17.50.

Routine housework, at \$1.25 an hour, \$22.50.

Laundry, at \$1.25 an hour, \$6.25.

Ironing, at \$1.25 an hour, \$6.25.

The chart suggest adding 25 per cent for miscellaneous work. So the grand total is \$150 a week. On a yearly basis a housewife is worth \$7,800.

Believe it or not but this leaflet has given me dignity. I no longer feel like a parasite. Tonight when Mr. Greatheart comes home I'm going to greet him like a woman who earns almost \$8,000 a year because that's what I am. —ASHAMED NO LONGER.

Dear Ashamed No Longer: Housewives of America, unite! Clip this column for your husband. And as for you, Mr. Greatheart, take that — and that — and that.

Dear Ann Landers: Five years ago I had a baby girl out of wedlock. I saw her while I was in the hospital and then turned her over to an adoption agency.

Since that time I married a wonderful, mature man who has a Ph.D. in education and is now teaching. We have a child and hope to have more. I have not been honest with my husband about my past, and this bothers me terribly. What's more, my feeling of guilt seems to be growing instead of diminishing.

I've been considering checking with the adoption agency to learn if my daughter is happy and if she is being well taken care of. If she is not, I'm sure my husband would help me regain custody. Wouldn't this be the ideal solution? Advise me, please — MOTHER OF TWO.

Dear Mother: Ideal for

whom? Surely not for the child—or for the adoptive parents.

Tell your husband the truth and get this off your conscience. And forget about trying to locate the child. A legitimate agency will not give you the information, and if you were able to get it by hook or crook, your chances of regaining custody would be zero.

Dear Ann Landers: I'm a paper boy who has the usual gripe about people who owe money and don't answer the doorbell when they know I am coming to collect. But that's not what I'm writing about.

I wish you'd print something about people who have nice warm homes but won't ask us in for a few minutes when we are out trying to collect.

Tonight it was below zero and I was freezing. A dozen people handed the money to me through a crack in the door and then slammed it real fast so they wouldn't let any cold air in the house. Don't they realize the paper boy is out in that cold air for hours?

One word from you could help a lot. Thanks, Ann. —ICICLE IKE.

Dear Readers Who Live Where It's Cold: For heaven's sake folks, please invite the paper boy in to thaw out on those freezing nights when he comes to collect. (There, son, I said 22 words and I hope it helps).

Too many starry-eyed lovers do not know the difference. Do you? Send for ANN LANDERS' booklet, "Before You Marry — Is It Love Or Sex?", enclosing with your request 25¢ in coin and a long, self-addressed, stamped envelope.

Ann Landers will be glad to help you with your problems. Send them to her in care of this newspaper enclosing a stamped, self-addressed envelope.

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SCHOLARSHIP WINNER . . . Pearl Wong (left) is shown with Miss Henrietta Martin, dean of women at El Camino College, following award of the Lyle Tussing Memorial Scholarship for foreign students to her. The \$100 award is presented by the Gardena Rotary Club in memory of the late Lyle Tussing, a psychology instructor at the college.

Coed From Hong Kong Wins ECC Scholarship

Pearl Wong, a 20-year-old El Camino College student from Hong Kong, has been named winner of the annual Lyle Tussing Memorial Scholarship at the college.

The \$100 scholarship for foreign students is presented by the Gardena Rotary Club in memory of the late Lyle Tussing, a psychology instructor at the College for many years.

Miss Wong was born on the island of Macau and now makes her home in Hong Kong. She applied for admission to El Camino College two and a half years ago. Her sister, Renie Wong, also applied to El Camino and has since gone on to the University of California at Los Angeles.

Now living with Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Mitchell, Miss Wong is taking a full program of classes. She is majoring in dietetics and hopes to become a hospital dietitian. Mitchell is an El Camino counselor.

"Life is very different here in America because the standard of living is so much higher," she commented.

Miss Wong will transfer to UCLA next September to continue her education. After graduation, she hopes to serve one year of internship in an American hospital.

ELECTED PRESIDENT

Francis T. Fox, general manager of the Los Angeles Department of Airports, has been elected president of the American Association of Airport Executives. Fox, a Rolling Hills resident, has been head of the Los Angeles airport system since 1959.